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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Youichi HIDAKA, et al.

Serial No.: 10/642,197

Group Art Unit: 2151

Filed: August 18, 2003

Examiner: Walsh, John B.

For: FRAME TRANSFER METHOD AND NODE IN ETHERNET

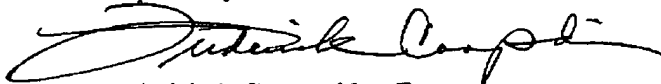
Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed October 8, 2008. An Amendment responsive to the outstanding Office Action is being filed simultaneously herewith. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the One-month Extension fee of \$130.00 to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481 and to charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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